

## Message Text

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FOR SSM

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, IS, EG, UN

SUBJECT: IDF HELIPAD CONSTRUCTION

1. THE IDF COMPLETED TWO DAYS OF CONSTRUCTION TODAY NOVEMBER 10, 1976, ON A HELIPAD AT THE IDF OUTPOST JUST TO THE EAST OF THE GIDDI EAST WATCH STATION. CHOPPERS ON THE GROUND ARE NOT VISIBLE FROM THE GIDDI EAST STATION, BUT THE APPROXIMATE COORDINATES ARE 8225-8375.

2. HELICOPTER LANDED FIRST TIME TODAY AND ACTIVATED SENSORS 36 AND 63. UPON TAKING OFF, CHOPPER ACTIVATED SENSORS 36 AND 65, AND MAY REPEAT MAY HAVE BEEN INSIDE ZONE BY 50 METERS OR LESS. WE WILL WATCH FUTURE LANDINGS TO DETERMINE IF A REGULAR PATTERN OF ACTIVATION EXISTS.  
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